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1. DEPT APPRECIATES EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY ONGOING PROGRAMS IN WHICH BUDGETARY SAVINGS MIGHT BE MADE.
2. ON TOURISM, WE AGREE THAT A REDUCED PROGRAM INCLUDING ABOLITION OF THE TOURISM COMMITTEE IS ACCEPTABLE, PROVIDED THAT THE ONGOING WORK ON IMPROVING AND PRODUCING BASIC TOURISM STATISTICS ON WHICH MEMBER COUNTRIES RELY WILL CONTINUE. THE US TRAVEL SERVICE ATTACHES ESPECIAL IMPORTANCE TO THE CONTINUING RECEIPT OF THIS STATISTICAL INFORMATION.
3. ON FISHERIES, WE CONCUR IN THE DELEGATION'S VIEW (PARA 7 REFTEL).
4. WE BELIEVE AGRICULTURAL REVIEW SHOULD BE CONTINUED ON ITS PRESENT BASIS. THIS ISSUE WAS DISCUSSED BY THE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE DURING THE APRIL 1972 REVIEW OF THE WORK PROGRAM FOR 1973. COMMITTEE MEMBERS, INCLUDING THE US, STRONGLY SUPPORTED CONTINUED PUBLICATION WITHOUT CHANGES

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